GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2218
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EMPLOYMENT TO DEPENDANTS OF DECEASED EMPLOYEES IN CHANDIGARH
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Chandigarh Administration follows the services conditions applicable to the employees of Punjab for the employees of UT as well;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government of Punjab has waived the earlier limit of five per cent of new jobs for the dependants of the employees dying in harness and has now decided to offer such employment to at least one dependant of the deceased employees;

(d) if so, the reasons for not adopting the same by the Chandigarh Administration; and

(e) the number of jobs given on compassionate grounds during each of the last three years, category-wise and the number of such applications pending with the Chandigarh Administration?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGUPATHY)

(a)&(b): Yes, Sir. As per Conditions of Service of Union Territory of Chandigarh Employees Rules, 1992, issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, vide Notification bearing No. 14012/2/88-CHD dated 13.1.1992, the Conditions of Service of persons appointed to the Central Civil Services and posts in Groups A, B, C and D under the administrative control of the Administrator of Union Territory of Chandigarh, shall subject to any other provision made by the President in this behalf, be the same as the conditions of service of persons appointed to corresponding posts in Punjab Civil Services and shall be governed by the same rules and orders as are for the time being applicable to the latter category of persons.

(c): The Government of Punjab vide their letter No.11/94/2002 dated 12.1.2004 have waived the earlier limit of 5% on compassionate appointment. The information whether Government of Punjab has decided to offer such employment to at least one dependent member is being obtained.

(d): In the matter of compassionate appointments, the Chandigarh Administration follows the instructions of the Government of India issued by DOP&T vide their O.M. No.14014/6/94-Estt(D) dated 9.10.1998.

(e): During the preceding 3 year the Chandigarh Administration have made the following appointments to Group `C` and `D` posts on compassionate grounds:-

	Group `C`	Group `D`
2002	21	30
2003	17	05
2004	09	05

At present 328 applications are pending.